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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Director of Central Intelligence
The CIA Member, USIB

SUBJECT: NIPP-68; National Intelligence Projections for
Planning, Soviet Military Forces through Mid-1977,
Foreword and Sections I and II

BACKGROUND

1. NIPP-68 is being prepared to meet an annual requirement of the Secretary of Defense. The detailed projections are based on the latest relevant NIEs and supersede those in NIPP-67.
2. The Foreword, Section I, Soviet Strategic Attack Forces, and Section II, Soviet Strategic Defense Forces, are now before USIB for telephonic concurrence. When that is accomplished, the Foreword, incorporating caveats as to the use of the NIPP, and Sections I and II will be disseminated in a single package.
3. Section III, Soviet General Purpose Forces, and Sections IV, V, and VI, dealing with nuclear weapons, military manpower, and military expenditures will be completed later.

SUBSTANCE

4. The various dissenting footnotes throughout the first two sections of the NIPP generally reflect positions registered in NIE 11-8-67, "Soviet Capabilities for Strategic Attack," 26 October 1967, and in NIE 11-3-67, "Soviet Strategic Air and Missile Defenses," 9 November 1967. No major new substantive issues came up in the coordination of these sections of the NIPP.

For the CIA Member of USIB

5. Participation by the Agency. Representatives of OSR, OSI, and FMSAC participated in the coordination of these projections, and we are aware of no substantive disagreements within the Agency.

6. We recommend approval of these projections.

7. These projections are given limited, controlled dissemination, and are not sent overseas or shown to foreign nationals.

FOR THE BOARD OF NATIONAL ESTIMATES:

SHERRMAN KEST
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